

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

IN RE THE APPLICATION OF:

SERIAL NO: 10/628,860  
DATE FILED: July 28, 2003  
FOR: CONTOURED SEAT CUSHION AND METHOD FOR OFFLOADING PRESSURE FROM SKELETAL BONE PROMINENCES AND ENCOURAGING PROPER POSTURAL ALIGNMENT

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents,  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

SIR:

TRANSMITTED HERewith IS AN AMENDMENT IN THE ABOVE-IDENTIFIED APPLICATION

- ☒ Amendment and Response to Final Office Action  
☒ Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal  
☒ Petition for Two Month Extension of Time  
☒ Check in the amount of \$620.00

FEES HAVE BEEN CALCULATED AS SHOWN BELOW:

	(COL. 1) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	(COL. 2) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR		(COL. 3) PRESENT EXTRA	SMALL ENTITY			LARGE ENTITY	
					RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE		RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL:	44*	-	48	0**	X \$25 =	\$0.00	OR	X \$50 =	\$0.00
INDEP:	3*	-	3	0***	X \$100 =	\$0.00	OR	X \$200 =	\$0.00
____ FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS					+ \$180 =		OR	+ \$360 =	
					TOTAL:	\$0.00	OR	TOTAL:	\$0.00

\*IF THE ENTRY IN COL. 1 IS LESS THAN THE ENTRY IN COL. 2, WRITE "0" IN COL. 3.

\*\*IF THE "HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR" IN THIS SPACE IS LESS THAN 20, WRITE "20" IN THIS SPACE.

\*\*\*IF THE "HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR" IN THIS SPACE IS LESS THAN 3, WRITE "3" IN THIS SPACE.

THE "HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR" (TOTAL OR INDEPENDENT) IS THE HIGHEST NUMBER FOUND FROM THE EQUIVALENT BOX IN COL. 1 OF A PRIOR AMENDMENT OR THE NUMBER OF CLAIMS ORIGINALLY FILED.

[ ] A CHECK IN THE AMOUNT OF \$\_\_\_\_\_ FOR THE ADDITIONAL FEES IS ENCLOSED.

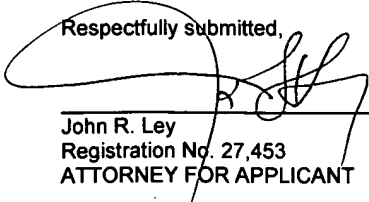
☒ A CHECK IN THE AMOUNT OF \$620.00 FOR THE RCE FEE (\$395.00) AND THE PETITION FEE (\$225.00) IS ENCLOSED.

☒ THE COMMISSIONER IS HEREBY AUTHORIZED TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCIES OR CREDIT ANY OVERPAYMENT IN THE ENCLOSED FEES TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT NO. 12-1087 ASSOCIATED WITH THIS COMMUNICATION. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ENCLOSED.

- ☒ ANY FILING FEES UNDER 37 CFR 1.16 FOR THE PRESENTATION OF EXTRA CLAIMS.  
☒ ANY PATENT APPLICATION PROCESSING FEES UNDER 37 CFR 1.17.

Dated at Greenwood Village, Colorado, this 14<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2005.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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Examiner : Michael Safavi

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING BY EXPRESS MAIL

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The undersigned hereby certifies that the attached Amendment Transmittal Letter; Amendment and Response to Final Office Action; Five (5) Sheets of Replacement Drawings; Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal; Petition for Two Month Extension of Time; check in the amount of \$620.00; Certificate of Mailing by Express Mail; and Return Card, relating to the above application, were deposited as "Express Mail," Mailing Label No. EV729881915US, with the United States Postal Service, addressed to Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on this 14<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2005.

12-14-05  
Date

Dec. 14, 2005  
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